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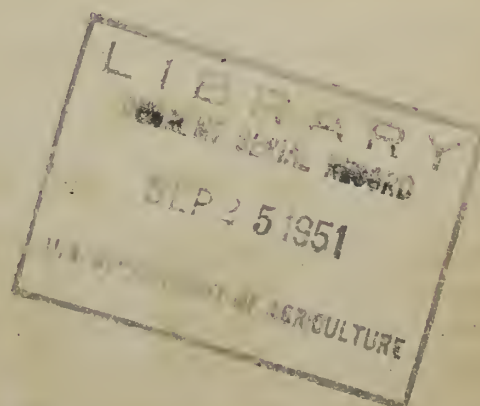
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Receipts and Disposition of Livestock

at 68 Public Markets

April 1948



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Summary of receipts and disposition of livestock at 68 public markets
for April 1948, with comparisons

	Total receipts	Local slaughter	Stocker and feeder shipments	Total shipments
CATTLE (EXCLUDING CALVES):				
Total: April 1948.....	1,413,401	558,877	252,214	842,092
April 1947.....	1,654,275	909,054	269,379	769,230
Increase or decrease 1/.....	-240,874	-341,177	-17,165	+72,862
Percentage.....	-14.6	-37.9	-6.4	+9.5
Total: Jan.-Apr. 1948.....	5,326,109	2,817,071	764,815	2,438,666
Jan.-Apr. 1947.....	6,773,628	3,663,670	1,042,528	3,058,039
Increase or decrease.....	-1,447,519	-846,599	-277,713	-619,373
Percentage.....	-21.4	-23.1	-26.6	-20.3
5-yr. av. (Apr. 1943-47)...	1,520,244	670,186	289,246	848,331
Increase or decrease 2/.....	-106,843	-111,309	-37,032	-6,239
Percentage.....	-7.0	-16.6	-12.8	-0.7
CALVES:				
Total: April 1948.....	464,731	233,957	57,568	210,475
April 1947.....	553,397	359,846	38,863	180,310
Increase or decrease 1/.....	-88,666	-125,889	+18,705	+30,165
Percentage.....	-16.0	-35.0	+48.1	+16.7
Total: Jan.-Apr. 1948.....	1,752,975	1,018,960	174,495	676,895
Jan.-Apr. 1947.....	2,087,266	1,326,084	160,190	722,899
Increase or decrease.....	-334,291	-307,124	+14,305	-46,004
Percentage.....	-16.0	-23.2	+8.9	-6.4
5-yr. av. (Apr. 1943-47)...	468,929	283,387	42,345	177,182
Increase or decrease 2/.....	-4,198	-49,430	+15,223	+33,293
Percentage.....	-0.9	-17.4	+35.9	+18.8
HOGS:				
Total: April 1948.....	2,462,409	1,387,180	40,796	1,053,015
April 1947.....	2,247,934	1,553,089	40,161	685,548
Increase or decrease 1/.....	+214,475	-165,909	+635	+367,467
Percentage.....	+9.5	-10.7	+1.6	+53.6
Total: Jan.-Apr. 1948.....	10,347,818	6,694,491	181,732	3,593,198
Jan.-Apr. 1947.....	10,047,850	6,959,978	223,013	3,059,457
Increase or decrease.....	+299,968	-265,487	-41,281	+533,741
Percentage.....	+3.0	-3.8	-18.5	+17.4
5-yr. av. (Apr. 1943-47)...	2,687,836	1,918,049	53,218	764,168
Increase or decrease 2/.....	-225,427	-530,869	-12,422	+288,847
Percentage.....	-8.4	-27.7	-23.3	+37.8
SHEEP AND LAMBS:				
Total: April 1948.....	1,211,097	627,663	135,428	584,587
April 1947.....	1,506,408	802,601	189,131	703,090
Increase or decrease 1/.....	-295,311	-174,938	-53,703	-118,503
Percentage.....	-19.6	-21.8	-28.4	-16.9
Total: Jan.-Apr. 1948.....	5,153,287	2,800,128	490,054	2,346,318
Jan.-Apr. 1947.....	5,875,951	3,080,120	737,232	2,793,166
Increase or decrease.....	-722,664	-279,992	-247,178	-446,848
Percentage.....	-12.3	-9.1	-33.5	-16.0
5-yr. av. (Apr. 1943-47)...	1,660,125	923,895	178,224	728,290
Increase or decrease 2/.....	-449,028	-296,232	-42,796	-143,703
Percentage.....	-27.0	-32.1	-24.0	-19.7

Salable receipts

Total driven-in receipts

	Apr. 1948	Apr. 1947		Apr. 1948	Apr. 1947
Cattle...	1,050,152	1,370,816	Cattle...	916,120	1,135,509
Calves...	338,702	419,943	Calves...	334,860	392,479
Hogs.....	1,796,053	1,530,350	Hogs.....	1,809,222	1,628,006
Sheep....	718,721	838,246	Sheep....	450,487	400,811
1/ Compared with April 1947. 2/ April 1948 compared with 5-yr.av.(Apr.1943-47).					

Note: Total receipts represent livestock movements at the specified markets including through shipments and direct shipments to packers when such shipments pass through the stockyards.

Salable receipts of livestock at 68 public markets for April

Market	Cattle		Calves		Hogs		Sheep and lambs	
	1948	1947	1948	1947	1948	1947	1948	1947
Amarillo, Tex.....	11,000	16,824	6,268	4,206	—	—	—	—
Baltimore, Md.....	11,837	9,547	4,455	5,019	28,232	19,447	501	887
Billings, Mont.....	7,074	5,682	1,595	1,567	2,506	1,984	2,250	999
Birmingham, Ala....	817	789	526	479	642	409	12	30
Boston, Mass.....	7,041	5,646	12,138	11,069	3,715	4,342	163	166
Buffalo, N. Y.....	4,928	4,766	4,387	4,116	5,081	4,937	4,336	6,118
Bushnell, Ill.....	475	293	25	45	12,622	9,019	10	44
Chattanooga, Tenn..	3,172	2,681	2,952	2,488	4,085	4,484	174	140
Chicago, Ill.....	143,184	182,936	11,652	16,091	238,712	126,475	65,123	63,439
Cincinnati, Ohio...	10,511	11,165	8,236	9,866	69,015	57,850	1,936	1,043
Cleveland, Ohio....	6,918	7,381	5,772	9,003	21,626	24,059	5,345	9,513
Columbia, S. C.....	1,260	1,015	817	556	1,759	2,171	27	317
Columbus, Ohio.....	2,156	3,194	2,095	2,631	10,473	12,102	2,890	3,203
Dayton, Ohio.....	2,219	2,159	924	1,284	9,154	9,507	1,151	512
Denver, Colo.....	49,596	56,369	4,961	5,550	10,958	9,468	116,686	93,963
Detroit, Mich.....	16,184	17,177	7,325	8,595	12,627	15,049	11,007	12,939
Evansville, Ind....	5,981	7,231	3,287	4,009	39,789	38,174	261	785
Fort Smith, Ark....	3,453	2,702	3,875	4,148	3,713	3,928	334	51
Fort Wayne, Ind....	2,654	4,073	2,976	2,441	20,725	20,722	936	1,092
Fort Worth, Tex....	34,442	46,576	8,877	11,789	21,659	22,162	81,818	96,087
Grand Island, Nebr..	8,513	6,033	2,824	1,500	7,321	2,135	103	166
Houston, Tex.....	4,361	5,556	6,940	7,423	1,098	1,006	209	39
Indianapolis, Ind..	32,378	37,262	12,064	13,989	170,909	143,138	7,485	10,779
Jersey City, N. J..	4,221	1,961	3,020	4,101	626	809	11,789	180
Jeplin, Mo.....	4,275	3,929	3,977	3,143	7,516	7,201	304	268
Kansas City, Mo....	82,618	114,767	8,467	13,053	71,172	38,071	86,094	146,727
Knoxville, Tenn....	1,982	1,750	3,088	4,123	—	—	14	164
La Fayette, Ind....	219	364	634	791	9,215	9,607	447	393
Lancaster, Pa.....	21,236	23,505	6,650	8,646	8,542	8,366	2,598	2,162
Los Angeles, Calif.	27,996	37,359	4,662	6,635	9,423	6,530	2,306	470
Louisville, Ky.....	10,926	10,280	16,461	15,321	34,125	30,487	4,955	2,569
Memphis, Tenn.....	5,201	4,922	2,214	2,487	20,625	23,945	52	29
Milwaukee, Wis.....	15,974	18,838	31,067	53,825	1,363	19,081	575	1,851
Montgomery, Ala....	9,382	7,312	4,425	3,758	5,943	5,005	46	31
Muncie, Ind.....	1,276	974	718	700	6,868	6,356	322	2,089
Nashville, Tenn....	5,559	5,854	5,139	4,639	18,822	19,313	4,111	3,765
New Orleans, La....	1/	11,229	1/	2,678	1/	779	1/	22
New York, N. Y.....	230	25	34	—	1,243	903	—	—
North Salt Lake....	2,142	1,053	270	532	1,934	2,072	1,084	483
Ogden, Utah.....	8,070	5,447	1,051	1,054	1,408	1,559	812	2,295
Oklahoma City, Okla.	33,296	38,380	6,777	7,298	18,827	22,443	6,170	2,944
Omaha, Nebr.....	115,500	167,247	3,011	4,757	97,260	84,269	81,410	140,768
Parsons, Kans.....	2,936	2,242	2,533	1,800	6,195	4,941	238	135
Peoria, Ill.....	11,532	13,908	4,859	4,498	69,241	56,614	3,157	1,290
Philadelphia, Pa....	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
Phoenix, Ariz.....	3,375	3/	1,248	3/	—	3/	—	3/
Pine Bluff, Ark....	625	675	595	665	1,576	2,211	1	18
Pittsburgh, Pa.....	3,325	3,553	3,019	3,926	7,314	6,791	2,936	5,504
Portland, Oreg.....	7,842	8,138	1,316	1,581	6,435	5,183	2,516	3,165
Pueblo, Colo.....	869	900	98	—	—	—	—	—
Richmond, Va.....	1,504	2,408	931	1,445	32,110	41,074	115	47
St. Joseph, Mo.....	34,131	48,549	8,510	6,465	121,127	57,460	60,813	67,862
St. Louis Nat. Stk. Yds	44,534	68,807	27,654	32,780	246,128	185,076	16,091	14,996
St. Louis, Mo.....	3,573	4,669	1,833	1,897	22,931	18,999	238	3,572
San Antonio, Tex. 4/	30,275	34,739	20,153	14,121	8,341	6,058	57,444	27,605
Seattle, Wash.....	869	1,139	49	43	1,523	1,934	5	92
Sioux City, Iowa...	84,517	116,762	1,005	1,785	89,897	92,534	20,711	34,886
Sioux Falls, S. Dak.	20,563	25,928	571	538	34,939	40,689	13,448	21,024
S. St. Paul, Minn. 5/	17,753	87,414	20,828	57,858	48,107	111,527	4,747	18,061
S. San Francisco...	4,306	2,879	408	592	6,973	6,988	1,339	4,782
Spokane, Wash.....	3,088	4,867	696	1,122	3,011	3,496	37	154
Springfield, Ill...	1,340	989	619	691	19,050	17,477	39	48
Springfield, Mo....	6,065	4,102	13,960	12,782	15,002	11,938	3,396	606
Stockton, Calif....	2,703	4,021	1,019	2,066	1,603	2,334	1,178	3,270
Toledo, Ohio.....	772	923	563	689	3,139	3,350	78	183
Tulsa, Okla.....	3,844	2,608	2,300	2,213	8,277	9,005	22	44
West Fargo, N. Dak.	14,142	8,910	5,359	2,201	16,113	8,964	2,715	2,190
Wichita, Kans.....	25,412	29,433	1,940	2,780	15,688	16,343	21,611	19,190
Total.....	1,050,152	1,370,816	338,702	419,943	1,796,053	1,530,350	718,721	838,246

1/ Report not received. 2/ Not available. 3/ Not included in report prior to January 1948. 4/ Sheep receipts at San Antonio include goats as follows: 31,744 April 1948; 9,425 April 1947. 5/ Normal movement was affected by packing-house workers' strike.

Total receipts and disposition of livestock at 68 public markets for April

CATTLE (EXCLUDING CALVES)

Market	Total receipts		Local slaughter		Stocker and feeder shipments		Total shipments	
	1948	1947	1948	1947	1948	1947	1948	1947
Amarillo, Tex.....	11,000	1/	370	1/	6,800	1/	9,300	1/
Baltimore, Md.....	17,240	10,726	13,349	7,384	1,706	1,363	3,891	3,342
Billings, Mont.....	9,050	6,091	184	246	1,132	1,168	4,277	3,131
Birmingham, Ala....	817	1,789	646	642	171	147	171	147
Boston, Mass.....	7,041	5,646	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
Buffalo, N. Y.....	21,246	19,874	11,553	8,640	1,023	747	9,661	11,380
Bushnell, Ill.....	475	342	5	41	10	118	470	332
Chattanooga, Tenn..	3,172	2,681	1,245	1,340	—	—	1,927	1,341
Chicago, Ill.....	146,907	190,981	56,627	114,487	3,860	3,208	90,280	76,494
Cincinnati, Ohio....	30,961	29,881	26,876	24,979	306	671	4,085	4,902
Cleveland, Ohio....	21,211	18,095	6,661	17,832	135	52	14,550	263
Columbia, S. C.....	1,260	1,015	—	—	—	—	1,260	1,015
Columbus, Ohio.....	2,156	3,194	1,040	1,349	120	232	1,116	1,845
Dayton, Ohio.....	2,219	2,159	2,132	1,737	41	47	87	422
Denver, Colo.....	64,799	72,544	21,599	33,221	26,967	28,024	44,789	44,961
Detroit, Mich.....	22,851	21,752	21,979	20,313	737	741	872	1,439
Evansville, Ind....	5,981	7,231	3,719	6,413	—	—	2,275	850
Fort Smith, Ark....	3,453	2,702	639	551	2,755	1,663	2,814	2,151
Fort Wayne, Ind....	2,654	4,073	2,654	4,073	—	—	—	—
Fort Worth, Tex....	85,583	78,544	22,476	24,553	8,617	14,536	63,107	53,991
Grand Island, Nebr..	8,513	6,033	—	—	7,643	6,033	7,643	6,033
Houston, Tex.....	6,666	10,214	1,976	4,135	1,982	2,652	4,690	6,079
Indianapolis, Ind..	34,006	38,636	15,651	19,899	1,643	1,300	18,355	18,737
Jersey City, N. J..	7,036	20,001	6,744	19,807	—	—	292	194
Joplin, Mo.....	4,275	3,929	1,117	597	1,917	1,767	3,158	3,332
Kansas City, Mo....	105,814	139,619	36,262	64,295	42,019	54,628	69,810	82,667
Knoxville, Tenn....	2,569	2,368	1,723	1,675	690	693	846	693
La Fayette, Ind....	219	364	43	103	112	80	174	261
Lancaster, Pa.....	21,755	23,766	880	2,990	5,745	4,884	20,875	20,776
Los Angeles, Calif..	28,318	37,982	24,620	31,006	3,866	7,410	4,394	8,182
Louisville, Ky.....	17,261	13,765	9,444	7,945	5,962	4,668	7,817	5,820
Memphis, Tenn.....	14,264	7,749	12,625	6,154	2,039	1,782	2,748	2,466
Milwaukee, Wis.....	18,974	22,566	15,798	20,143	121	149	3,176	2,423
Montgomery, Ala....	18,806	10,072	4,437	2,282	3,456	2,946	11,392	5,610
Muncie, Ind.....	1,290	996	1,047	722	—	—	237	257
Nashville, Tenn....	5,790	6,521	2,767	2,887	1,796	1,017	3,023	3,634
New Orleans, La....	3/	13,613	3/	8,507	3/	2,742	3/	5,106
New York, N. Y.....	4,941	2,351	4,941	2,351	—	—	—	—
North Salt Lake, Utah	8,626	11,753	1,153	3,373	4,500	3,000	7,473	8,380
Ogden, Utah.....	15,032	11,943	3,633	2,969	5,104	2,266	11,658	10,043
Oklahoma City, Okla.	48,824	40,557	24,497	21,092	18,250	16,122	27,408	24,728
Omaha, Nebr.....	116,085	170,443	11,793	103,494	15,590	19,471	104,292	66,949
Parsons, Kans.....	2,936	2,242	155	227	965	572	3,091	2,015
Peoria, Ill.....	14,889	14,291	6,475	5,063	464	686	8,501	8,811
Philadelphia, Pa....	5,513	4,703	5,316	4,154	—	—	197	549
Phoenix, Ariz.....	13,555	1/	3,009	1/	9,315	1/	10,546	1/
Pine Bluff, Ark....	625	675	477	363	148	300	148	312
Pittsburgh, Pa.....	38,284	38,410	11,843	9,970	—	—	26,441	28,440
Portland, Oreg.....	14,280	14,966	8,800	10,062	860	1,079	5,397	4,979
Pueblo, Colo.....	8,262	6,261	3	9	7,471	5,820	7,993	7,422
Richmond, Va.....	1,504	2,434	1,438	2,408	66	26	66	26
St. Joseph, Mo.....	42,490	52,769	29,312	37,131	4,985	7,181	12,927	16,703
St. Louis Nat. Stk. Yd	80,297	90,347	50,423	52,865	4,228	2,664	29,874	37,482
St. Louis, Mo.....	6,626	4,939	6,526	4,700	100	204	100	239
San Antonio, Tex...	32,849	37,194	17,079	18,010	6,257	9,234	15,795	19,334
Seattle, Wash.....	2,985	2,872	2,892	2,785	93	87	93	87
Sioux City, Iowa...	87,837	120,039	5,280	46,245	11,955	19,878	82,557	73,794
Sioux Falls, S. Dak.	20,622	25,970	6,541	9,376	3,528	3,518	14,252	16,175
S. St. Paul, Minn. 4/	17,753	89,070	3,040	73,774	3,106	5,681	13,076	16,365
S. San Francisco...	7,516	5,939	4,984	4,973	23	727	2,532	966
Spokane, Wash.....	4,779	7,622	2,136	3,214	1,059	2,582	2,680	4,493
Springfield, Ill...	1,340	989	1,135	764	28	19	28	19
Springfield, Mo....	6,065	4,102	690	1,125	1,310	1,260	5,375	2,977
Stockton, Calif....	3,265	5,409	—	—	270	939	3,261	5,260
Toledo, Ohio.....	820	1,122	784	1,122	36	—	36	—
Tulsa, Okla.....	3,844	2,608	1,324	1,422	1,597	793	2,520	1,186
West Fargo, N. Dak.	14,148	9,149	2,104	60	2,519	1,099	11,442	8,870
Wichita, Kans.....	31,177	36,592	12,206	16,005	15,016	18,703	18,771	22,350
	1,413,401		558,877		252,214		842,092	
Total.....	1,654,275		900,054		269,379		769,230	

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Total receipts and disposition of livestock at 68 public markets for April

CALVES

Market	Total receipts		Local slaughter		Stocker and feeder shipments		Total shipments	
	1948	1947	1948	1947	1948	1947	1948	1947
Amarillo, Tex.....	6,268	1/	147	1/	5,000	1/	6,250	1/
Baltimore, Md.....	7,714	6,220	7,199	5,577	---	---	515	643
Billings, Mont.....	2,150	1,494	11	7	627	555	1,206	628
Birmingham, Ala.....	526	479	326	343	200	136	200	136
Boston, Mass.....	12,138	11,069	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
Buffalo, N. Y.....	5,625	10,801	5,014	4,937	---	---	639	5,886
Bushnell, Ill.....	25	45	---	---	---	45	25	45
Chattanooga, Tenn..	2,952	2,488	1,400	1,564	---	---	1,552	924
Chicago, Ill.....	14,304	24,306	10,711	22,577	5/	5/	3,593	1,729
Cincinnati, Ohio....	18,647	14,741	6,952	6,526	36	481	11,695	8,215
Cleveland, Ohio....	9,428	10,376	5,656	9,712	---	---	3,772	664
Columbia, S. C.....	817	556	---	---	---	---	817	556
Columbus, Ohio.....	2,095	2,631	190	347	---	---	1,905	2,284
Dayton, Ohio.....	924	1,284	545	263	---	---	379	1,021
Denver, Colo.....	12,483	10,822	1,577	3,066	9,423	6,595	9,433	6,597
Detroit, Mich.....	32,649	25,740	32,649	25,466	---	---	---	274
Evansville, Ind.....	3,287	4,009	2,303	2,222	---	---	981	1,746
Fort Smith, Ark....	3,875	4,148	108	50	1,980	1,279	3,767	4,098
Fort Wayne, Ind....	2,976	2,441	---	---	---	---	2,976	2,441
Fort Worth, Tex....	14,318	15,010	2,869	6,495	2,154	3,634	11,449	8,515
Grand Island, Nebr..	2,824	1,500	---	---	2,323	1,500	2,323	1,500
Houston, Tex.....	9,222	10,122	5,237	6,400	2,906	3,228	3,985	3,722
Indianapolis, Ind..	12,755	13,989	4,712	4,830	1,155	225	8,043	9,159
Jersey City, N. J..	13,643	34,973	13,360	34,411	---	---	283	562
Joplin, Mo.....	3,977	3,143	12	67	1,204	740	3,965	3,076
Kansas City, Mo....	11,813	15,355	3,205	11,955	4,807	3,990	6,821	4,657
Knoxville, Tenn....	3,150	4,251	2,486	3,611	664	640	664	640
La Fayette, Ind....	634	791	---	1	11	15	628	790
Lancaster, Pa.....	6,689	8,647	98	1,739	---	---	6,591	6,908
Los Angeles, Calif..	4,682	6,658	3,268	4,858	1,015	1,292	1,084	1,320
Louisville, Ky.....	17,614	16,413	6,650	6,762	---	---	10,964	9,651
Memphis, Tenn.....	2,712	2,487	1,695	1,569	270	196	543	839
Milwaukee, Wis.....	31,928	62,174	31,044	62,174	13	---	884	---
Montgomery, Ala....	6,157	4,069	4,212	2,098	336	98	822	842
Muncie, Ind.....	720	702	3	3	---	---	717	697
Nashville, Tenn....	5,139	4,891	4,185	3,263	429	141	954	1,628
New Orleans, La....	3/	3,218	3/	2,126	3/	542	3/	1,092
New York, N. Y.....	3,936	3,932	3,936	3,932	---	---	---	---
North Salt Lake, Utah	270	532	19	532	---	---	251	---
Ogden, Utah.....	1,935	1,619	187	220	1,213	1,702	1,751	2,204
Oklahoma City, Okla.	11,077	7,298	6,608	3,629	1,977	652	2,273	1,310
Omaha, Nebr.....	3,464	4,906	1,657	3,996	1,107	910	1,807	910
Parsons, Kans.....	2,533	1,800	17	14	386	273	2,516	1,786
Peoria, Ill.....	7,960	4,498	5,785	2,314	23	23	2,221	2,389
Philadelphia, Pa....	6,234	5,821	5,755	5,687	---	---	479	134
Phoenix, Ariz.....	2,358	1/	---	1/	2,001	1/	2,277	1/
Pine Bluff, Ark....	595	665	82	159	263	411	513	506
Pittsburgh, Pa.....	18,212	27,360	5,735	5,435	---	---	12,477	21,925
Portland, Oreg.....	1,469	1,769	1,313	1,191	115	332	156	578
Pueblo, Colo.....	326	73	---	---	272	73	272	73
Richmond, Va.....	931	1,445	931	1,445	---	---	---	---
St. Joseph, Mo.....	9,428	6,593	5,167	4,759	571	536	4,162	1,963
St. Louis Nat. Stk. Yds	31,428	37,612	19,741	24,093	---	---	11,687	13,519
St. Louis, Mo.....	2,467	1,897	2,467	1,897	---	---	---	---
San Antonio, Tex....	22,649	14,630	3,198	3,794	8,459	2,572	19,452	10,951
Seattle, Wash.....	56	46	56	44	---	2	---	2
Sioux City, Iowa...	1,135	2,444	---	1,264	1,135	813	1,135	1,180
Sioux Falls, S. Dak.	575	539	116	113	407	245	522	446
S. St. Paul, Minn. 4/	20,828	59,885	6,546	54,745	238	903	13,482	5,146
S. San Francisco...	1,204	811	985	784	---	---	219	27
Spokane, Wash.....	766	1,252	635	838	172	314	173	430
Springfield, Ill....	619	691	664	590	15	34	15	34
Springfield, Mo....	13,960	12,782	32	38	890	411	13,928	12,744
Stockton, Calif....	1,103	2,171	---	---	71	541	1,103	2,103
Toledo, Ohio.....	563	689	563	689	---	---	---	---
Tulsa, Okla.....	2,300	2,213	134	70	1,272	716	2,166	2,143
West Fargo, N. Dak.	5,359	2,296	3,648	16	95	57	2,403	2,236
Wichita, Kans.....	2,131	3,085	156	2,539	2,333	2,011	2,610	2,086
Total.....	464,731	553,397	233,957	359,846	57,568	38,863	210,475	180,310

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Total receipts and disposition of livestock at 68 public markets for April
HOGS

Market	Total receipts		Local slaughter		Stocker and feeder shipments		Total shipments	
	1948	1947	1948	1947	1948	1947	1948	1947
Amarillo, Tex.....	--	1/	--	1/	--	1/	--	1/
Baltimore, Md.....	46,499	30,310	35,462	21,501	--	--	11,037	8,809
Billings, Mont.....	2,506	1,984	1,197	574	851	258	1,174	1,384
Birmingham, Ala....	642	409	642	409	--	--	--	--
Boston, Mass.....	3,715	4,342	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
Buffalo, N. Y.....	6,078	6,086	3,894	2,857	45	72	2,135	3,390
Bushnell, Ill.....	12,622	9,019	6	8	20	85	12,616	8,867
Chattanooga, Tenn..	4,085	4,484	2,112	1,642	--	--	1,973	2,842
Chicago, Ill.....	251,868	218,782	200,303	206,407	198	401	51,565	12,375
Cincinnati, Ohio...	91,469	93,767	71,450	70,808	491	81	20,019	22,959
Cleveland, Ohio....	48,206	34,874	17,967	23,319	179	145	30,239	11,555
Columbia, S. C.....	1,759	2,171	--	--	--	--	1,759	2,171
Columbus, Ohio.....	11,309	12,102	4,630	2,293	214	1,350	5,843	9,809
Dayton, Ohio.....	9,154	9,507	4,387	2,545	--	--	4,767	6,962
Denver, Colo.....	55,378	59,669	10,880	43,180	58	98	42,121	16,610
Detroit, Mich.....	15,081	16,090	13,310	13,077	1,771	280	1,771	3,013
Evansville, Ind....	39,789	38,174	18,846	27,162	--	--	20,970	11,011
Fort Smith, Ark....	3,713	3,928	1,536	1,018	1,424	2,021	2,177	2,910
Fort Wayne, Ind....	20,725	20,722	--	--	--	--	20,725	20,722
Fort Worth, Tex....	97,001	61,702	93,670	56,198	764	838	3,331	5,504
Grand Island, Nebr.	7,321	2,135	--	--	3,334	2,135	3,334	2,135
Houston, Tex.....	1,135	1,006	635	556	400	300	500	450
Indianapolis, Ind..	174,544	146,879	45,174	33,659	416	679	129,370	113,220
Jersey City, N. J..	1,863	18,316	1,415	16,559	--	--	448	1,757
Joplin, Mo.....	7,516	7,201	1,834	1,168	954	1,045	5,682	6,033
Kansas City, Mo....	87,284	39,724	26,582	25,514	1,961	1,138	60,459	13,693
Knoxville, Tenn....	7,708	6,187	7,708	6,187	--	--	--	--
La Fayette, Ind....	9,215	9,607	389	200	8	111	8,817	9,416
Lancaster, Pa.....	9,767	9,727	590	1,318	--	--	9,177	8,409
Los Angeles, Calif.	23,238	8,233	23,569	6,875	543	1,158	670	1,159
Louisville, Ky.....	35,944	31,381	25,051	18,398	1,129	471	10,893	12,983
Memphis, Tenn.....	23,071	23,973	19,004	20,673	3,744	3,712	4,318	4,967
Milwaukee, Wis.....	1,363	34,956	580	34,848	22	108	783	108
Montgomery, Ala....	7,411	5,367	1,344	1,136	439	350	5,639	3,352
Muncie, Ind.....	6,883	6,365	6,582	6,077	--	--	287	277
Nashville, Tenn....	18,822	19,313	13,026	6,170	91	--	5,796	13,143
New Orleans, La....	3/	779	3/	434	3/	162	3/	345
New York, N. Y.....	99,239	52,342	99,239	52,342	--	--	--	--
North Salt Lake....	41,072	41,046	1,282	5,171	--	400	39,790	35,875
Ogden, Utah.....	31,552	28,861	9,106	6,600	119	29	22,948	22,530
Oklahoma City, Okla.	74,900	46,534	71,769	41,622	1,037	1,107	5,605	6,733
Omaha, Nebr.....	101,000	152,738	3,175	124,050	1,759	313	97,825	28,688
Parsons, Kans.....	6,195	4,941	78	118	210	76	6,117	4,823
Peoria, Ill.....	86,297	58,395	53,487	34,443	290	200	30,232	22,007
Philadelphia, Pa...	4,745	23,953	3,387	21,270	--	--	1,358	2,683
Phoenix, Ariz.....	--	1/	--	1/	--	1/	--	1/
Pine Bluff, Ark....	1,576	2,211	650	652	926	1,103	926	1,559
Pittsburgh, Pa....	71,392	65,059	53,251	38,357	--	--	18,141	26,702
Portland, Oreg.....	26,474	21,338	18,662	16,681	2,386	1,178	7,806	4,657
Pueblo, Colo.....	178	--	1	--	--	--	177	--
Richmond, Va.....	32,110	41,074	30,868	40,274	--	--	1,242	800
St. Joseph, Mo....	127,460	85,296	80,770	75,051	1,614	625	42,666	10,456
St. Louis Nat Stk. Yds.	264,311	203,488	171,432	156,560	3,129	1,327	92,879	46,928
St. Louis, Mo.....	41,058	19,037	37,937	18,677	349	315	3,121	360
San Antonio, Tex...	9,177	6,344	6,668	5,098	1,062	607	2,009	1,231
Seattle, Wash.....	7,205	5,798	7,198	5,763	7	35	7	35
Sioux City, Iowa...	90,031	101,561	1,021	66,565	2	27	89,010	34,996
Sioux Falls, S. Dak.	34,960	40,911	18,468	20,408	283	410	16,576	20,265
S. St. Paul, Minn. 4/	48,672	133,753	16,099	105,144	2,259	8,942	29,762	28,534
S. San Francisco...	23,486	22,902	19,596	17,892	1,307	863	3,890	5,010
Spokane, Wash.....	14,065	9,286	2,168	3,800	281	1,753	11,907	5,463
Springfield, Ill....	19,050	17,477	13,785	12,297	128	187	128	187
Springfield, Mo....	15,002	11,938	710	872	740	987	14,292	11,066
Stockton, Calif....	2,797	2,708	--	--	461	224	2,797	2,737
Toledo, Ohio.....	3,139	3,350	2,642	2,572	--	--	497	784
Tulsa, Okla.....	8,277	9,499	4,365	2,768	1,298	683	3,912	6,731
West Fargo, N. Dak.	16,118	8,991	1,317	62	865	391	14,920	8,991
Wichita, Kans.....	16,187	27,832	4,274	25,210	1,228	1,381	12,080	2,377
Total.....	2,462,409	1,387,180			40,796	1,053,015		
	2,247,934		1,553,089			40,161		685,548

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Total receipts and disposition of livestock at 68 public markets for April

SHEEP AND LAMBS

Market	Total receipts		Local slaughter		Stocker and feeder shipments		Total shipments	
	1948	1947	1948	1947	1948	1947	1948	1947
Amarillo, Tex.....	--	1/	--	1/	--	1/	--	1/
Baltimore, Md.....	4,003	3,704	3,159	3,310	--	--	844	394
Billings, Mont.....	3,683	1,182	37	--	985	163	2,090	892
Birmingham, Ala.....	12	30	12	--	--	30	--	30
Boston, Mass.....	163	166	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
Buffalo, N. Y.....	25,649	25,618	10,295	6,846	22	159	15,288	19,471
Bushnell, Ill.....	10	44	--	1	--	43	10	44
Chattanooga, Tenn..	174	140	174	140	--	--	--	--
Chicago, Ill.....	75,967	92,553	30,859	56,524	502	1,238	45,108	36,029
Cincinnati, Ohio...	5,009	1,991	2,426	1,043	--	1	2,583	948
Cleveland, Ohio.....	19,846	11,412	4,820	10,197	170	9	15,026	1,215
Columbia, S. C.....	27	317	--	--	--	--	27	317
Columbus, Ohio.....	3,252	3,203	225	284	427	275	2,665	2,928
Dayton, Ohio.....	1,151	512	446	287	--	--	705	225
Denver, Colo.....	134,320	116,187	64,717	49,178	15,321	16,513	73,479	67,097
Detroit, Mich.....	24,044	19,222	23,798	17,156	246	77	246	2,066
Evansville, Ind.....	261	785	147	188	--	--	114	597
Fort Smith, Ark....	334	51	3	--	26	--	331	51
Fort Wayne, Ind....	936	1,092	--	--	--	--	936	1,092
Fort Worth, Tex....	143,232	105,746	110,116	71,550	23,474	14,472	33,116	34,196
Grand Island, Nebr.	103	166	--	--	82	166	82	166
Houston, Tex.....	211	39	211	39	--	--	--	--
Indianapolis, Ind..	8,208	11,144	4,935	2,831	120	460	3,273	8,313
Jersey City, N. J..	43,805	126,199	43,430	125,129	--	--	375	1,070
Joplin, Mo.....	304	268	--	--	143	119	304	268
Kansas City, Mo....	124,269	207,287	48,112	94,873	24,965	35,200	75,371	115,738
Knoxville, Tenn....	14	164	14	164	--	--	--	--
La Fayette, Ind....	447	393	--	4	24	63	447	384
Lancaster, Pa.....	2,598	2,172	249	521	--	--	2,349	1,651
Los Angeles, Calif.	7,055	470	5,257	432	509	28	1,508	28
Louisville, Ky.....	7,991	2,773	532	233	415	1,270	7,459	2,540
Memphis, Tenn.....	52	29	58	29	5	1	5	1
Milwaukee, Wis.....	575	4,061	575	4,061	--	--	--	--
Montgomery, Ala....	46	31	3	1	22	4	22	4
Muncie, Ind.....	324	2,089	1	--	--	--	321	2,089
Nashville, Tenn....	4,111	3,765	783	2,062	3	71	3,328	1,703
New Orleans, La....	3/	119	3/	119	3/	--	3/	--
New York, N. Y.....	8,275	14,206	8,275	14,206	--	--	--	--
North Salt Lake....	7,695	31,490	326	2,308	2,000	24,000	7,369	29,182
Ogden, Utah.....	9,577	81,864	1,188	532	3,680	24,871	8,332	79,219
Oklahoma City, Okla.	42,940	14,448	41,112	14,253	543	112	2,509	115
Omaha, Nebr.....	84,073	188,112	1,615	109,287	13,531	9,743	82,458	78,825
Parsons, Kans.....	238	135	--	--	49	2	238	135
Peoria, Ill.....	6,224	1,290	713	442	311	65	5,582	818
Philadelphia, Pa...	9,666	12,316	9,666	12,094	--	--	--	--
Phoenix, Ariz.....	--	1/	--	1/	--	1/	--	1/
Pine Bluff, Ark....	1	18	--	13	--	4	--	5
Pittsburgh, Pa.....	51,754	78,422	8,597	6,764	--	--	43,157	71,658
Portland, Oreg.....	9,124	13,147	7,554	10,757	41	693	1,570	2,263
Pueblo, Colo.....	4,149	17,842	6	32	1,545	17,270	4,143	17,810
Richmond, Va.....	115	47	115	47	--	--	--	--
St. Joseph, Mo.....	113,349	92,085	77,269	66,997	32,608	14,500	35,448	23,529
St. Louis Nat. Stk. Yds.	54,803	29,538	36,202	17,499	53	--	18,601	12,039
St. Louis, Mo.....	238	3,742	83	3,527	87	215	155	215
San Antonio, Tex...	58,397	29,323	45,503	10,638	3,442	5,865	12,543	18,836
Seattle, Wash.....	2,881	1,353	2,881	1,353	--	--	--	--
Sioux City, Iowa...	31,181	43,755	1,126	22,712	3,662	11,620	30,055	21,043
Sioux Falls, S. Dak.	13,854	22,099	4,747	5,559	1,361	2,644	8,833	16,302
S. St. Paul, Minn. 4/	4,747	22,346	784	13,321	1,237	2,545	3,627	9,166
S. San Francisco...	24,819	31,742	24,014	24,020	--	--	805	7,722
Spokane, Wash.....	1,284	4,020	51	69	373	2,777	1,280	3,953
Springfield, Ill...	39	48	29	31	--	21	--	21
Springfield, Mo....	3,396	606	18	15	385	160	3,378	591
Stockton, Calif....	1,565	5,435	--	--	213	1,171	1,576	5,122
Toledo, Ohio.....	78	183	78	183	--	--	--	--
Tulsa, Okla.....	22	44	2	44	--	1	20	44
West Fargo, N. Dak.	2,816	2,438	315	--	1,476	21	2,867	2,461
Wichita, Kans.....	21,611	19,190	--	18,696	1,370	469	22,629	469
Total.....	1,211,097		627,663		135,428		584,587	
		1,506,408		802,601		189,131		703,090

1/ Not included in report prior to January 1948. 2/ Disposition of stock not reported. 3/ Report not received. 4/ Normal movement was affected by packing-house workers' strike. 5/ Calves included with cattle.

Driven-in receipts at 68 public markets for April

Market	Cattle		Calves		Hogs		Sheep and lambs	
	1948	1947	1948	1947	1948	1947	1948	1947
Amarillo, Tex.....	8,300	1/	4,250	1/	0	1/	0	1/
Baltimore, Md.....	9,318	6,787	6,059	4,320	23,719	18,074	468	473
Billings, Mont.....	3,284	2,792	605	740	2,364	1,927	1,673	1,182
Birmingham, Ala....	817	789	526	479	642	409	12	30
Boston, Mass.....	6,316	4,950	9,929	10,008	3,655	4,328	50	121
Buffalo, N. Y.....	5,459	4,095	63	3,579	4,338	4,351	13	5,985
Bushnell, Ill.....	475	342	25	45	12,622	9,019	10	44
Chattanooga, Tenn..	3,172	2,681	2,952	2,488	4,085	4,484	174	140
Chicago, Ill.....	108,214	142,356	12,223	12,467	198,277	111,129	19,919	10,788
Cincinnati, Ohio....	14,590	12,955	8,197	9,753	69,957	64,723	1,936	1,013
Cleveland, Ohio....	7,312	6,853	7,958	8,934	30,728	23,909	8,671	8,882
Columbia, S. C.....	1,260	1,015	817	556	1,759	2,171	27	317
Columbus, Ohio.....	2,156	2,962	2,095	2,631	10,473	12,102	2,890	3,150
Dayton, Ohio.....	2,135	2,112	924	1,284	9,154	9,507	1,151	512
Denver, Colo.....	39,882	36,131	3,668	4,119	11,585	33,072	42,264	14,081
Detroit, Mich.....	11,980	14,924	9,498	13,605	11,190	15,027	13,056	15,470
Evansville, Ind....	5,826	7,107	3,281	3,999	39,789	38,174	261	785
Fort Smith, Ark....	3,208	2,302	3,653	3,948	3,713	3,928	334	51
Fort Wayne, Ind....	2,654	4,073	2,976	2,441	20,725	20,722	936	1,092
Fort Worth, Tex....	36,187	47,609	9,033	12,078	68,780	50,911	86,250	92,913
Grand Island, Nebr.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Houston, Tex.....	4,939	5,547	8,771	9,126	1,135	1,006	211	39
Indianapolis, Ind..	31,802	37,134	11,137	13,868	168,938	143,138	8,208	10,779
Jersey City, N. J..	1,907	1,683	333	298	626	809	--	163
Joplin, Mo.....	4,275	3,929	3,977	3,143	7,516	7,201	304	268
Kansas City, Mo....	38,315	50,051	6,870	9,199	66,752	36,962	14,114	8,297
Knoxville, Tenn....	2,413	2,022	3,150	4,251	6,878	6,187	14	164
La Fayette, Ind....	219	364	634	791	9,215	9,607	447	393
Lancaster, Pa.....	17,004	16,150	6,632	8,632	8,542	8,366	1,243	1,742
Los Angeles, Calif.	24,669	34,006	4,310	6,081	4,577	5,911	7,055	470
Louisville, Ky.....	8,238	8,442	15,642	14,984	33,982	29,981	4,822	2,569
Memphis, Tenn.....	5,262	4,842	2,325	2,487	22,526	23,766	52	29
Milwaukee, Wis.....	15,348	15,975	28,220	47,558	1,103	21,736	567	1,825
Montgomery, Ala....	7,141	5,132	3,629	2,629	5,199	4,126	25	5
Muncie, Ind.....	1,290	996	720	702	6,883	6,365	324	2,089
Nashville, Tenn....	5,473	5,830	5,112	4,621	18,822	19,313	4,111	3,765
New Orleans, La....	2/	6,518	2/	2,334	2/	779	2/	119
New York, N. Y.....	594	25	159	0	1,464	886	0	0
North Salt Lake....	2,142	2,781	270	532	1,934	2,346	1,084	611
Ogden, Utah.....	8,277	4,849	1,051	1,054	1,499	1,571	692	248
Oklahoma City, Okla.	32,690	39,021	9,522	7,098	38,039	33,332	27,255	3,898
Omaha, Nebr.....	105,239	150,723	2,732	4,349	97,354	108,569	20,001	19,677
Parsons, Kans.....	2,936	2,242	2,533	1,800	6,195	4,941	238	135
Peoria, Ill.....	11,532	13,908	7,960	4,498	80,199	58,184	3,157	1,290
Philadelphia, Pa....	1,851	1,181	3,866	4,358	1,189	1,657	1,300	2,222
Phoenix, Ariz.....	13,513	1/	2,358	1/	0	1/	0	1/
Pine Bluff, Ark....	625	675	595	665	1,576	2,211	1	18
Pittsburgh, Pa.....	2,546	2,445	3,660	4,558	8,186	7,058	3,503	3,471
Portland, Oreg.....	5,962	4,279	1,385	1,170	4,956	4,279	3,127	6,750
Pueblo, Colo.....	617	622	37	0	0	0	0	0
Richmond, Va.....	1,299	1,671	931	1,438	27,156	30,714	115	47
St. Joseph, Mo.....	30,090	40,432	9,146	5,782	114,658	76,084	18,398	20,119
St. Louis Nat Stk Yds.	40,854	63,429	26,635	30,983	237,477	179,133	7,063	4,734
St. Louis, Mo.....	3,672	4,789	2,126	1,897	23,775	18,939	238	2,589
San Antonio, Tex...	29,842	32,348	20,959	13,290	8,339	6,231	56,154	25,319
Seattle, Wash.....	915	700	49	41	1,174	2,041	5	92
Sioux City, Iowa...	82,893	107,161	879	937	89,508	96,255	17,639	28,048
Sioux Falls, S. Dak.	20,600	25,794	575	523	34,838	40,911	13,494	20,971
S. St. Paul, Minn. 3/	17,689	81,011	20,828	55,543	48,672	113,174	4,747	16,295
S. San Francisco...	5,300	4,536	1,202	785	9,574	7,979	23,526	31,652
Spokane, Wash.....	2,905	3,931	697	947	2,855	3,266	37	274
Springfield, Ill...	1,340	989	619	691	19,050	17,477	39	48
Springfield, Mo....	4,608	2,780	13,584	12,473	14,830	11,864	3,396	439
Stockton, Calif....	2,839	4,104	1,048	2,041	1,647	2,599	1,469	3,855
Toledo, Ohio.....	772	865	563	235	3,139	2,217	78	11
Tulsa, Okla.....	3,844	2,608	2,247	2,213	8,277	9,005	22	44
West Fargo, N. Dak..	12,779	8,451	5,014	2,125	15,490	8,578	2,189	2,180
Wichita, Kans.....	24,515	25,703	1,436	2,275	15,923	23,285	19,928	16,029
Total drive-ins....	916,120		334,860		1,809,222		450,487	
	1,135,509			392,479		1,628,006		400,811
Total receipts....	1,413,401		464,731		2,462,409		1,211,097	
	1,654,275			553,397		2,247,934		1,506,408
Percentage of total receipts....	64.8	68.6	72.1	70.9	73.5	72.4	37.2	26.6

1/ Not included in report prior to January 1948. 2/ Report not received.

3/ Normal movement was affected by packing-house workers' strike.

Total receipts of horses and mules at public markets for April

Market	1948	1947	Market	1948	1947
Baltimore, Md.....	130	252	North Salt Lake, Utah...	699	454
Billings, Mont.....	600	96	Ogden, Utah.....	2,649	4,592
Buffalo, N. Y.....	904	1,428	Oklahoma City, Okla.....	—	—
Chicago, Ill.....	18	141	Omaha, Nebr.....	125	1,176
Cincinnati, Ohio...	111	126	Pittsburgh, Pa.....	707	806
Cleveland, Ohio....	42	169	Portland, Oreg.....	52	38
Columbia, S. C.....	827	653	Pueblo, Colo.....	31	4
Columbus, Ohio.....	689	1,188	St. Joseph, Mo.....	3	45
Denver, Colo.....	502	502	St. Louis Nat. Stk. Yds.	1,727	1,920
Fort Smith, Ark....	498	388	San Antonio, Tex.....	91	36
Fort Worth, Tex....	1,115	1,613	Sioux City, Iowa.....	63	305
Houston, Tex.....	182	82	Sioux Falls, S. Dak.....	1	330
Jersey City, N. J..	124	138	S. St. Paul, Minn.....	—	291
Joplin, Mo.....	325	149	Spokane, Wash.....	115	135
Kansas City, Mo....	1,692	1,522	Stockton, Calif.....	86	201
Los Angeles, Calif.	1,826	736	West Fargo, N. Dak.....	7	98
Louisville, Ky.....	26	50	Wichita, Kans.....	297	633
Memphis, Tenn.....	1,218	1,596	All other markets.....	546	336
Milwaukee, Wis.....	21	28	Total horses and mules..	19,309	23,535
Montgomery, Ala....	—	36	Total horses <u>2/</u>	13,731	17,592
Nashville, Tenn....	1,260	1,240	Total mules <u>2/</u>	5,578	5,943
New Orleans, La....	<u>1/</u>	2			

Accumulated receipts, 4 months:

April average, 5 years, 1943-47:

Horses and mules...	88,797	156,649	Horses and mules.....	34,976
Horses <u>2/</u>	53,183	98,940	Horses <u>2/</u>	26,948
Mules <u>2/</u>	35,614	57,709	Mules <u>2/</u>	8,028

1/ Report not received. 2/ Totals for horses and mules separately are partly estimated as a few stockyard companies do not separate horses and mules on their reports.

